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Report of the Secretary-General**

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I. Introduction

1. In accordance with General Assembly resolution 46/36 L of 9 December 1991, on transparency in armaments, the Secretary-General, on 1 January 1992, established the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms. In that resolution, the General Assembly called upon all Member States to provide annually data on imports and exports of conventional arms in the seven categories covered under the Register. It also invited Member States, pending the expansion of the Register, to provide to the Secretary-General, along with their annual report on imports and exports of arms, available background information regarding their military holdings, procurement through national production and relevant policies and requested the Secretary-General to record that material and to make it available for consultation by Member States at their request.

2. At its forty-seventh session, the General Assembly, by its resolution 47/52 L of 15 December 1992 on transparency in armaments, called upon all Member States to provide the requested data and information to the Secretary-General by 30 April annually, beginning in 1993, and encouraged Member States to inform the Secretary-General of their national arms import and export policies, legislation and administrative procedures regarding both the authorization of arms transfers and the prevention of illicit transfers, in conformity with paragraph 18 of resolution 46/36 L. In subsequent resolutions, the General Assembly reiterated that request.[1]

3. Pursuant to requests by the General Assembly,[2] the Secretary-General, with the assistance of a group of governmental experts, prepared reports on the continuing operation of the Register and its further development in 1994, 1997 and 2000. Those reports were submitted to the General Assembly at its forty-ninth, fifty-second and fifty-fifth sessions (A/49/316; A/52/316; and A/55/281).

4. By its resolution 49/75 C and by subsequent resolutions,[3] the General Assembly decided to keep the scope of and participation in the Register under review and, to that end, requested Member States to provide the Secretary-General with their views on the continuing operation of the Register and its further development and on transparency measures related to weapons of mass destruction. The views of Member States were contained in reports of the Secretary-General on the subject (A/50/276 and Add.1; A/51/300 and Add.1-5; A/52/312 and Corr.1 and 2 and Add.1-4; A/53/334 and Corr.1 and 2 and Add.1 and 2; A/54/226 and Corr.1 and Add.1-6; and A/55/299 and Corr.1 and Add.1-6).

5. At its fifty-fifth session, the General Assembly, by its resolution 55/33 U of 20 November 1999, called upon Member States, with a view to achieving universal participation, to provide the Secretary-General, by 31 May annually, with the requested data and information for the Register, including "nil" reports if appropriate, on the basis of resolutions 46/36 L and 47/52 L and the recommendations contained in the 1997 and 2000 reports of the Secretary-General on the continuing operation of the Register and its further development (A/52/316, para. 64, and A/55/281, para. 94). In addition, the Assembly invited Member States in a position to do so, pending further development of the Register, to provide additional information on procurement from national production and military

[1] Resolutions 48/75 E, 49/75 C, 50/70 D, 51/45 H and 52/38 R.

[2] Resolutions 47/52 L, 48/75 E, 49/75 C, 50/70 D, 51/45 H, 53/77 V and 54/54 O.

[3] Resolutions 50/70 D, 51/45 H, 52/38 R, 53/77 V, 53/77 S and 54/54 O.

holdings, and to make use of the "Remarks" column in the standardized reporting form to provide additional information, such as types or models.

6. By the same resolution, the General Assembly reaffirmed its decision, with a view to the further development of the Register, to keep the scope of and participation in the Register under review, and to that end recalled its request to Member States to provide the Secretary-General with their views on the continuing operation of the Register and its further development and on transparency measures related to weapons of mass destruction. In accordance with paragraph 5 (a) of the resolution, the Secretary-General has received views from Sweden (on behalf of the European Union) and the Syrian Arab Republic. Those views are contained in the annex to the present report.

7. At the same session, the General Assembly, by its resolution 55/33 U of 20 November 2000, requested the Secretary-General, with the assistance of the group of governmental experts to be convened in 2003, on the basis of equitable geographical representation, to prepare a report on the continuing operation of the Register and its further development, taking into account the work of the Conference on Disarmament, the views expressed by Member States and the reports of the Secretary-General on the continuing operation of the Register and its further development, with a view to taking a decision at its fifty-eighth session.

8. By the same resolution, the General Assembly requested the Secretary-General to implement the recommendations contained in the 2000 report of the group of governmental experts on the continuing operation of the Register and its further development (A/55/281). Pursuant to those recommendations, the Secretariat engaged in a number of activities to enhance familiarity with and encourage greater participation in the Register of Conventional Arms. The Department for Disarmament Affairs cooperated with the Governments of Canada and Japan in the holding of an Association of South-East Asian Nations (ASEAN) Regional Forum seminar on transparency in conventional arms, in Phnom Penh, on 21 and 22 February 2001. The United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Asia and the Pacific organized a conference in Wellington, New Zealand on 29 and 30 March 2001, in cooperation with the Government of New Zealand, at which a session was devoted to the Register of Conventional Arms. The Department for Disarmament Affairs facilitated and participated in a meeting of the Committee on Hemispheric Security of the Organization of American States (OAS), held at OAS headquarters in Washington, D.C., on 4 May 2001. The meeting focused on the Register and the United Nations standardized instrument for reporting military expenditures. The Department also organized an informal meeting of delegates on the Register of Conventional Arms at United Nations Headquarters on 11 October 2000, at which the report of the 2000 group of governmental experts and other matters related to the Register were discussed. In addition, in January 2001, the Department published its periodic Information Booklet, which explains the operation and procedures of the Register of Conventional Arms. In accordance with recommendations of the group of experts (A/55/281, sect. VI, B), to ensure that all relevant information is available electronically, the Department maintains the United Nations Register web site.[4]

[4] http://www.un.org/Depts/dda/CAB/register.htm.

9. The present report is the ninth consolidated report issued by the Secretary-General since the establishment of the Register.[5] It contains data and information provided by 105 Governments on imports and exports of conventional arms covered under the Register: battle tanks, armoured combat vehicles, large-calibre artillery systems, attack helicopters, combat aircraft, warships, and missiles and missile launchers, for the calendar year 2000. The report includes additional information provided by Governments on procurement from national production and military holdings. The replies received are contained in sections II and IV below. Any additional replies received from Governments will be issued as addenda to the present report.

10. Section III of the present report contains an index of the background information submitted by Governments in accordance with paragraphs 10 and 18 of resolution 46/36 L and paragraph 5 of resolution 47/52 L. The background information is available for consultation at the Department for Disarmament Affairs of the Secretariat.

II. Information received from Governments[6]

11. Information received from Governments is presented in the present section of the report as follows: (a) a complete table listing all the replies received by the Secretary-General, and (b) individual replies of Governments. Where appropriate, the relevant parts of notes verbales are also reproduced.

12. The composite table is provided for ease of reference. As regards the information contained in the table, it should be noted that a "yes" denotes a submission of data regarding imports and/or exports in relation to the seven categories of arms covered by the Register during the reporting period. For the purpose of uniform tabulation, responses by Governments that contained either "nil", "none", "0", a dash (-), or which otherwise indicated that no exports and/or imports in the categories covered by the Register had taken place, are reflected in the tables as "nil" reports. A blank space under data on imports and/or exports in the composite table indicates that no information was provided. In some cases, however, an explanation can be found in the note verbale of the country in question, as indicated above. Only those parts of the standardized forms that contain specific data and notes verbales of Governments providing relevant information are reproduced in part B of this section. Replies in standardized forms or in notes verbales containing "nil" or blank reports are listed in the composite table only.

[5] The first to seventh reports were issued under the symbols A/48/344 and Corr.1-3 and Add.1-3; A/49/352 and Corr.1 and 2 and Add.1-4; A/50/547 and Corr.1 and Add.1-4; A/51/300 and Add.1-5; A/52/312 and Corr.1 and 2 and Add.1-4; A/53/334 and Corr.1 and 2 and Add.1 and 2; and A/54/226 and Corr.1 and Add.1-6.

[6] The documents have been reproduced as received. The designations employed do not imply the expression of any opinion whatsoever on the part of the Secretariat of the United Nations concerning the legal status of any country, territory or area, or of its authorities.

A. Composite table of replies of Governments[7]

State	Data on exports	Data on imports	Explanation submitted in note verbale	Background information
Albania	nil	nil		no
Andorra	nil	nil		no
Antigua and Barbuda	nil	nil		no
Argentina	yes	yes		no
Armenia	nil	nil		yes
Australia		yes		yes
Azerbaijan	nil	nil		no
Bangladesh	nil	nil		no
Barbados	nil	nil		no
Belarus	yes	yes		no
Belgium	yes	yes		yes
Belize	nil	nil		no
Bhutan	nil	nil		no
Bolivia	nil	nil		no
Bosnia and Herzegovina		yes		yes
Botswana	nil	nil		no
Brazil	nil	yes		yes
Bulgaria	yes	nil		yes
Burkina Faso	nil			no
Canada	yes	nil		yes
Costa Rica	nil	nil		no
Croatia	yes	nil		yes
Cuba	nil	nil		no
Cyprus	nil	nil		no
Czech Republic	yes	nil		yes
Denmark	nil	yes		yes
Estonia	nil	nil		yes
Fiji	nil	nil		no
Finland	yes	yes		yes
France	yes	yes		yes
Georgia	nil	nil		yes
Germany	yes	yes		yes
Greece	yes	yes		yes
Grenada	nil	nil		no
Guatemala	nil	nil		no
Guyana	nil	nil		no
Honduras	nil			no
Hungary	nil	nil		no

[7] Cook Islands and Niue submitted "nil" reports.

State	Data on exports	Data on imports	Explanation submitted in note verbale	Background information
Iceland[8]	nil	nil		no
Ireland	nil	nil		yes
Israel	yes	yes		yes
Italy	yes	yes		yes
Jamaica	nil	nil		no
Japan	nil	yes		yes
Jordan	nil	yes		no
Kazakhstan	yes	yes		no
Kenya	nil	nil		no
Kiribati	nil	nil		no
Latvia	nil	yes		no
Liechtenstein	nil	nil		no
Lithuania	nil	yes		no
Luxembourg	nil	nil		yes
Madagascar	nil	nil		no
Malawi	nil	nil		no
Malaysia	nil	yes		no
Maldives	nil	nil		no
Malta	nil	nil		no
Marshall Islands	nil	nil		no
Mauritius	nil	nil		no
Mexico	nil	yes		no
Micronesia (Federated States of)	nil	nil		no
Monaco	nil	nil		no
Mongolia	nil	nil		no
Nauru	nil	nil		no
Nepal		nil		no
Netherlands	yes	yes		yes
New Zealand	yes	nil		yes
Norway	yes	yes		no
Pakistan	yes	yes		no
Palau	nil	nil		no
Panama	nil	nil		yes
Paraguay	nil	nil		no
Peru	nil	nil	yes	no
Philippines	nil	nil		no
Poland	yes	nil		no
Portugal	nil	yes		yes
Romania	yes	yes		yes

[8] Iceland also submitted a "nil" return for the calendar year 1999. With this submission the number of replies received from Governments for the calendar year 1999 stands at 97.

State	Data on exports	Data on imports	Explanation submitted in note verbale	Background information
Republic of Korea	nil	yes		no
Republic of Moldova	yes	nil		no
Samoa	nil	nil		no
San Marino	nil	nil		no
Seychelles	nil	nil		no
Singapore	yes	yes		no
Slovakia	yes	yes		yes
Slovenia	nil	nil		no
Solomon Islands	nil	nil		no
South Africa	yes	nil		no
Spain	nil	yes		yes
Suriname	nil	nil		no
Sweden	yes			yes
Switzerland	nil	nil		yes
Thailand	nil	yes		no
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	nil	yes		yes
Togo	nil	nil		yes
Trinidad and Tobago	nil	nil		no
Turkmenistan	nil	nil		no
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	yes	yes		yes
United States of America	yes	yes		yes
Uruguay		yes		no
Uzbekistan	nil	nil		no
Vanuatu	nil	nil		no
Viet Nam	nil	nil		no
Zambia	nil	nil		no

B. Replies received from Governments

Argentina

Reporting country: Argentina

Original language: Spanish
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 31 July 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
IV. Combat aircraft	Uruguay	1			Twin-engined, turbo-prop attack aircraft IA-58 Pucará	As a lease to the Air Force of Uruguay until 12 June 2001 in the framework of cooperation agreement between both Air Forces.

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	United States of America	20			VC II 577	EDA Programme Surplus stock from US Army
V. Attack helicopters	United States of America	5			Helicopter UH-1H	FMS Programme

Australia

Reporting country: Australia

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 31 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Canada	2			ASLAV 25	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	United States of America	1			MK45 MODII Gun	
		several			Harpoon	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	less than 20			AAM	

National criteria on transfers: Transfer of title.

Note: Differences in accounting procedures and definition of transfer dates may create discrepancies with figures from exporter States.

Belarus

Reporting country: Belarus

Original language: Russian
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 31 July 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Morocco	58		Russian Federation	T-72B (S)	Departed from the exporter's territory
	Morocco	12		Russian Federation	T-72 BK (SK)	
	Uganda	10		Russian Federation	T-55M	
	Iran (Islamic Republic of)	8		Russian Federation	T-72M1	
	Yemen	27		Russian Federation	T-72B (S)	
IV. Combat aircraft	Algeria	5		Russian Federation	MIG-29	Departed from the exporter's territory
	Algeria	6		Russian Federation	MIG-29UB	Re-export
	Angola	1		Russian Federation	SU-24MK	Departed from the exporter's territory
V. Attack helicopters	Ethiopia	2		Russian Federation	Mi-24P	Departed from the exporter's territory prior to the UN imposed embargoes

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Kazakhstan	53			T-72B	Arrived into the importer's territory
IV. Combat aircraft	Russian Federation	6			MIG-29UB	

Belgium

Reporting country: BELGIUM

Original language: French
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 15 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Jordan	40	ROYAUME-UNI		CVR-T SPARTAN	

National criteria on transfers: Departure of equipment from the exporter's territory.

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Austria	17			PANDUR APC	
	South Africa	1			MAMBA vehicle	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	France	36			Mor 120 mm RT F1	

National criteria on transfers: Arrival of equipment to the importer's territory.

Bosnia and Herzegovina

Reporting country: Bosnia and Herzegovina

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 29 March 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
III. Large calibre artillery systems		18	BiH		H-105 mm M-56	Armaments are produced in domestic purpose industry in Bosnia and Herzegovina and they are deployed in the Army of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina

The submission also includes "nil" report on exports and imports from Bosnia and Herzegovina — Republic of Srpska.

Brazil

Reporting country: Brazil

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 5 June 2000

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Belgium	21	Germany		Leopard 1A1-CC	
	Austria	17			SK 105 A2S	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Belgium	24			Self-propelled howitzer M 109 A3A	
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	12			Howitzer 105 mm Light Gun	
VI. Warships	France	1			Aircraft carrier ship SÃO PAULO	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers						(1)

National criteria on transfers: Incorporation of equipment into the inventory of the Force.

(1) The imported missiles are an organic part of the imported equipment mentioned above.

Bulgaria

Reporting country: Bulgaria

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 30 April 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Zimbabwe	60			120 mm mortar	Zimbabwe Government

Canada

Reporting country: Canada

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 24 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Saudi Arabia	2			LAV	
	Australia	2			LAV	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Brazil	8	Italy		L5 105 mm Pack Howitzer	Surplus DND Equipment

National criteria on transfers: Departure of equipment from the exporter's territory/Transfer of title.

Croatia

Reporting country: Croatia

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 30 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	"PECOS" Guinea	40			Mortar 120 mm	

National criteria on transfers: According to national law, approval of Ministry of Economy is needed for any arms import or export.

Czech Republic

Reporting country: Czech Republic

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 28 March 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Georgia	10			Tank T-55	
	Sri Lanka	11			Tank T-55	
	Yemen	97			Tank T-55	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Slovakia	2			APC OT-64	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Slovakia	12			Howitzer S/P 2S1	
	Zimbabwe	6			MLRs 122 mm RM-70	
	Slovakia	12			MLRs 122 mm RM-70	
	Sri Lanka	8			MLRs 122 mm RM-70	

Denmark

Reporting country: Denmark

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 10 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Switzerland	20			APC Piranha III	

Finland

Reporting country: Finland

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 31 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Norway	31			XA 203 Armoured wheeled vehicles	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Egypt	1			155 EH 52 Field gun	

National criteria on transfers: Departure of equipment from the exporter's territory and transfer of title.

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
IV. Combat aircraft	United States of America	10			F-18 Hornet	

National criteria on transfers: Arrival of equipment in the importer's territory. With regard to category IV, assembly of equipment in the importer's territory.

France

Reporting country: France

Original language: French
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 11 June 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	United Arab Emirates	32			Leclerc	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Portugal	4			VBL	
	Greece	23			VBL	
	Italy	9			VAB	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Italy	35			Mortar 120mm	
	Belgium	36			Mortar 120 mm	
IV. Combat aircraft	Pakistan	8			Mirage V	
V. Attack helicopters	Turkey	1			Cougar AS 532 AL	
	Venezuela	4			Cougar AS 532 AC	
	Saudi Arabia	2			Cougar AS 532 A2	
VI. Warships	Brazil	1			Aircraft carrier ship Clémenceau	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Egypt	5			Air-Air	
	Saudi Arabia	10			Exocet	
	Pakistan	8			Exocet	
	Chile	5			Exocet	

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	23			Exocet	

Germany

Reporting country: Germany

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 29 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Greece	51			Leopard 1	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Romania	2			Gepard	
	Lithuania	67			MTW M 113	18 not ready for action
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Greece	50			M105/9	
IV. Combat aircraft	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	11			Alpha Jet A	
	Thailand	7*			Alpha Jet A	
V. Attack helicopters	Republic of Korea	10			BO 105	delivery in unarmed stockpile storage condition
VI. Warships	Israel	1			Submarine Dolphin	

* Final importer State may report a different number of items due to a different transfer definition.

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
V. Attack helicopters	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	3			Super Lynx 88 a	

NOTES

1. Germany applies the departure of equipment from the exporter's territory as criterion for recording her arms transfers.

2. Germany continues
to record only transfers of complete equipment, as defined in the seven categories, and not to include transfers of the following items:
items that have been demilitarized
items transferred for destruction or disposal (especially scrapping)
items serving as museum exhibits.

Germany's national report is also available on the Internet at
http://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/www/en/aussenpolitik/friedenspolitik/abr_und_r/index_html.

Greece

Reporting country: Greece

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 30 April 2001

EXPORTS

A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles		37	USA		M113	Peace-keeping Force in Kosovo
III. Large calibre artillery systems		4			Mortar 4.2"	Peace-keeping Force in Kosovo

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Germany	51			LEO-1 A5	
II. Armoured combat vehicles		6			M-113	2 pieces return from Bosnia 4 pieces return from Albania
III. Large calibre artillery systems	United States of America	18	USA		M270 (MLRS)	
	Germany	50	Germany		M-105A3GEA 155SP Howitzer	
IV. Combat aircraft	United States of America	2	USA		A-7	Cash

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Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
VI. Warships		1	Greece		LST	National production
VI. Warships	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	1			MH	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	United States of America	25			ATTACMS	

Israel

Reporting country: Israel

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 24 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Chile	24			120 mm	Mortars
	India	5			155 mm	Gun barrels
	India	7			160 mm	Mortars
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	United States of America	42			AGM 142	"Popey"

National criteria on transfers: Departure of equipment from our national territory.

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Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
VI. Warships	Germany	1			Dolphine class submarine	

National criteria on transfers: Arrival of equipment into our national territory.

Italy

Reporting country: Italy

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 23 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	The Netherlands	1			NAVAL GUN 127/64	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Bangladesh	4		South Korea	OTOMAT MISSILE LAUNCHERS	
	Venezuela	11		Nil	OTOMAT MISSILES	

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	France	35			120 mm MORTARS	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	United States of America	33			AMRAAM missiles	

Japan

Reporting country: Japan

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 4 June 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	United States of America	19			Standard Vertical Launching System	

National criteria on transfers: transfers are reported as "transfer of title", transfers are confirmed as such when the exported goods leave the port of Japan or the imported goods arrive at the port of Japan.

Jordan

Reporting country: Jordan

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 21 June 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	38	UK		Challenger-1	Used
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States of America	50	USA		M106A2 (107mm Mortar carrier)	Used

Kazakhstan

Reporting country: Kazakhstan

Original language: Russian
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 29 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Belarus	53	USSR		T-72	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Congo	1	USSR		BM-21	
	Ethiopia	6	USSR		M-46	The delivery of goods to Ethiopia took place prior to the adoption of United Nations Security Council resolution 1298 (2000). The freight customs declarations are dated mid-April 2000.
	Ethiopia	100	USSR		D-30	

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Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
IV. Combat aircraft	Russian Federation	2			SU-27	
		12			L-39	

Latvia

Reporting country: Latvia

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 23 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Czech Republic	3			Government agreement	

Lithuania

Reporting country: Lithuania

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 25 April 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Germany	67*	United States of America		M113A1	Donation
	Poland	10			MT-LB	Donation

* There of 49 operational and 18 non-operational (as source for spare parts only)

Malaysia

Reporting country: Malaysia

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 29 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
VI. Warships	Italy	2			Corvette	New procurement
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	2			Frigate	New procurement
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Italy	12			OTOMAT	Fitted onboard
		8			ASPIDE	Fitted onboard
	France	16			EXOCET	Fitted onboard
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	32			SEA WOLF	Fitted onboard

Mexico

Reporting country: Mexico

Original language: Spanish
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 30 April 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
VI. Warships	United States of America	2			Ship, type LST Floating dock, type ARD30	
	Sweden	20			CB90HMN interceptor	

Netherlands

Reporting country: Netherlands

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 2 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Chile	93	Germany		Leopard 1	
V. Attack helicopters	United States of America	6	USA		AH-64A Apache	

National criteria on transfers: Transfer of title of ownership

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
V. Attack helicopters	United States of America	4			AH-64D Apache	

National criteria on transfers: Transfer of title of ownership

New Zealand

Reporting country: New Zealand

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 8 June 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	21	United Kingdom	Not applicable	CVR (T) Scorpion vehicle and associated spares.	

National criteria on transfers: International arms transfers involve, in addition to the physical movement of equipment from or into national territory, the transfer of title and control over equipment.

Norway

Reporting country: Norway

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 29 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Finland	25	Finland		SISU XA 185	APC*
		18			SISU XA 180	APC**

* The APCs have been leased from Finland and been in use in Bosnia. They have now been returned to Finland.
** The APCs have been leased from Finland and been used in Kosovo and Norway. They have now been returned to Finland.

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Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Finland	32			PASI XA 203N	APC
	Sweden	36			CV 9030N	AIFV*

* Please note that Norway received 40xCV 9030N during the calendar year 2000. However, four of these items were imported and registered as imported in 1996 (date of submission 24 April 97), but went through a repair and modification program in Sweden during 2000. Hence, they are excluded from this year's import registration. A total of 104xCV 9030N have been imported to Norway from Sweden during the period 1998-2000.

Pakistan

Reporting country: Pakistan

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 1 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Sri Lanka	6			122 mm MBRL Systems	

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Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	China	60			130 mm Guns of Type 59-1	
IV. Combat aircraft	France	8			BF Mirage V Aircraft	

Peru

Reporting country: Peru

Original language: Spanish
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 8 June 2001

At the same time, the Peruvian Mission wishes to specify that the four LST landing ships which the United States listed in its 2000 report as having been imported by Peru are warships actually put into service in 1984 by the Naval Forces of Peru, although their transfer was only recently made official in 2000.

The Permanent Mission of Peru reports that during the year 2000 Peru neither imported nor exported arms that fall under any of the seven categories in the Register.

Poland

Reporting country: Poland

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 16 April 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Lithuania	10				Gift for the Government of Lithuania

Portugal

Reporting country: Portugal

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 7 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	United States of America	6			AU BLIND M577/A2	

Republic of Korea

Reporting country: Republic of Korea

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 31 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
V. Attack helicopters	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	7			Super LYNX	
	Germany	10			BO-105KLH	Import as kits
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	United States of America	100			AIM-120	
	Israel	48			Harpy	

Republic of Moldova

Reporting country: Republic of Moldova

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 30 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Guinea	3			9P140	
		3			9T152	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Guinea	60			9M113	
		430			9M27F	
		860			9M27K	
		2000			bombs 130 mm	
		10			OFAB-250-270	

Romania

Reporting country: Romania

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 23 July 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Guinea	12			M46 130 mm SP Gun	Export to Guinea through GATESTAR N.S.A. Ltd. Israel
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Turkey	87			Containers with 20 launching tubes for 122 mm MLRS	
		10			Tubes for 122 mm MLRS	Export to Turkey through "ROCKETSAN" Ankara

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Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Germany	2			(*) GEPARD 35 mm Self-propelled Anti-aircraft Gun System, version B2	From Germany Krauss Maffei

(*) ACVs with GEPARD System are ACV-LAL.

Singapore

Reporting country: Singapore

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 7 June 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Sri Lanka	9	Singapore	Nil	120 mm Mortar System	Used item
	Israel	8	Israel	Nil	160 mm Mortar System	Used Item

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Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
IV. Combat aircraft	United States of America	11			F-16C/Ds	
VI. Warships	Sweden	1			Sjoormen Class Submarine	

Slovakia

Reporting country: Slovakia

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 31 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Angola	55			T-55 AM2	for Government of Angola
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Indonesia	11			BVP-2	for Government of Indonesia
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Angola	6	Czech Republic		122 mm ROCKET LAUNCHER mod 70	for Government of Angola
		4			122 mm howitzer SH2S1	for Government of Angola
	Czech Republic	8			122 mm howitzer SH2S1	for Government of Angola
IV. Combat aircraft	Ukraine	1			MIG 21 MF	
	United States of America	2			L-29-MS	

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Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Czech Republic	1			T-54/55 AM (Bastion)	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Czech Republic	2			OT-64	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Czech Republic	12			122 mm rocket launcher model 70	
		12			122 mm howitzer S112S1	

National criteria on transfers: The Slovak Republic controls the export of conventional arms and related technologies in accordance with its international obligations taking into account its national security and economic interests. Legislative basis for the export of conventional arms and related technologies is set up by Law No. 179/1998 on Trading with Military Equipment (effective as of 1 July 1998).

South Africa

Reporting country: South Africa

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 15 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Georgia	25	N/a	United Nations	RG31 Mine Protected APC	UNOMIG, Tbilisi, Georgia: May to July 2000
	Mozambique	5	N/a	N/a	CASSPIR APC	Donation: June 2000
	Djibouti	9	N/a	N/a	CASSPIR APC	November 2000

Spain

Reporting country: Spain

Original language: Spanish
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 30 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Italy	3			CENTAURO	
IV. Combat aircraft	United States of America	3			F-18	

National criteria on transfers:
Exports: Departure of equipment from the exporter's territory and transfer of title.
Imports: Arrival of equipment in the importer's territory and transfer of title.

Sweden

Reporting country: Sweden

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 10 July 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Norway	40			CV 9030 model	
VI. Warships	Singapore	1			Submarine - Sjoormen class	

National criteria on transfers: Physical transfer at the border.

Thailand

Reporting country: Thailand

Original language: English
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 1 June 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II Armoured combat vehicles	United States of America	6				
IV. Combat aircraft	Germany	5			Alpha Jet	
VI. Warships	Italy	1			Mine countermeasures vessel	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	China	28				

With regard to the export of conventional arms, the Permanent Mission of Thailand will communicate the relevant information, if any, at the earliest opportunity.

The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

Reporting country: The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 4 June 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Germany	105			APC Hermelin	January 2000

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Reporting country: United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 11 July 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Jordan	76			Challenger I MBT	3 are training tanks
	Oman	15			Challenger II MBT	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Jordan	1			AIGIS AB2 Troop Carrier	
IV. Combat aircraft	Indonesia	5			Hawk Aircraft	Final tranche supplied after EU embargo lifted
V. Attack helicopters	Germany	3			Super Lynx 88a	
	Republic of Korea	7			Super Lynx Mk99a	
VI. Warships	Canada	1			Upholder Class Sub	Refurbished
	Greece	1			Hunt Mine Counter Measure Vessel	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	France	20			Exocet Type 3	

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Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
IV. Combat aircraft	Germany	11			Alpha Jets	Not in-service with UK Forces
V. Attack helicopters	United States of America	3			Apache Mk1 Helicopters	Not yet in-service with UK Forces
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	United States of America	7			Cruise Missiles	
		6			AMRAAM Missiles	

United States of America

Reporting country: United States of America

Original language: English
Background information provided: yes

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 30 May 2001

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A	B	C	D	E	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Argentina	57			M113	
		25			M106	
	Bahrain	38			M901	
	Greece	3			M125	
		65			M106	
	Jordan	50			M106	
		20			M901	
	Lebanon	1			M113	
	Morocco	36			M106	
	Portugal	8			M106	
	Republic of Korea	17			AAV7A1 Amphibious Assault Vehicle Kits	
	Saudi Arabia	3			Light Armoured Vehicle (Mortar Carrier)	
		2			Light Armoured Vehicle (Assault)	
	Spain	2			Dragon APC	
	Turkey	27			AIFV personnel carrier	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Australia	1			MK45 Mod2 Naval gun mount	
	Egypt	279			M109	
		24			SPH-122 Self-Propelled Howitzer	
	Greece	18			MLRS	
IV. Combat aircraft	Bahrain	10			F-16	
	Egypt	17			F-16	
	Finland	3			F/A-18	
	Jordan	16			F-16	
	Singapore	10			F-16	

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Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
V. Attack helicopters	Jordan	5			AH-1	
	Netherlands	7			AH-64	
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	4			AH-64 helicopters & kits	
IV. Warships	Spain	2			LST	
	Turkey	1			Frigate	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Canada	6			RGM-84	
		6			Standard	
	Egypt	28			AGM-84	
		14			RGM-84	
		32			Standard	
	Finland	209			AIM-120	
	Greece	66			AIM-120	
	Netherlands	2			Harpoon	
	Israel	21			AIM-120	
	Italy	60			AIM-120	
	Japan	100			MLRS rocket pods, Standard missiles, Harpoon missiles	
		2			Shipboard launchers	
	Republic of Korea	100			AIM-120	
	Poland	17			Standard	
	Turkey	138			AIM-120	
		1			RGM-84	
		8			Standard	
	United Arab Emirates	8			RGM-84	
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	7			AGM/RGM/UGM -109	
		6			AIM-120	

Note: In addition, during calendar year 2000 transfers to Taiwan, Province of China, took place as follows:

I.	Battle tanks	27 x M60A3
V.	Attack helicopters	11 x AH-1
VI.	Warships	2 x LST (Lease)
VII.	Missiles/missile launchers	15 x AGM-84

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Category (I-VII)	**Exporter State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Israel	142			Popey missiles	
	Norway	4			AGM-119 missiles	

Uruguay

Reporting country: Uruguay

Original language: Spanish
Background information provided: no

Calendar year: 2000
Date of submission: 13 July 2001

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Category (I-VII)	**Final importer State(s)**	**Number of items**	**State of origin (if not exporter)**	**Intermediate location (if any)**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
I. Battle tanks	Czech Republic	3	Czech Republic		MTLB	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Czech Republic	30	Czech Republic		15 OT64 and 15 OT93	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Czech Republic	1	Czech Republic		L.M. rockets 122 mm, RM70	

III. Index of background information provided by Governments for the calendar year 2000

State	*Title*	*Language*
Armenia	Military holdings and procurement from national production, as of 31 May 2001.	English
Australia	National holdings.	English
Belgium	Military holdings (as of 31 December 2000).	French
Brazil	Military holdings. Procurement through national production. Relevant policies and/or national legislation.	English
Bulgaria	National holdings and procurement from national production.	English
Canada	Equipment holdings — Canadian Armed Forces. As of 31 Dec. 2000. Procurement through national production. Defence planning document 2000.	English
Croatia	Military holdings. Procurement through national production.	English
Czech Republic	Military holdings (valid as of 1 January 2001).	English
	Procurement through national production.	
Denmark	Military holdings ultimo 2000. Procurement through national production ("nil" report).	English
Estonia	Military holdings (as of 1 May 2001).	English
Finland	Military holdings. Procurement from national production.	English
France	Military holdings (as of 31 December 2000). Procurement through national production. Policy regarding military holdings.	French
Georgia	Military holdings.	English
Germany	Military holdings. Procurement from national production in 2000. Germany's Policy and Practice on Exports of Conventional Weapons and Related Technology.	English
Greece	Military holdings.	English
Ireland	National holdings.	English
Israel	Background information.	English
Italy	Military holdings. Procurement from national production.	English
Japan	Military holdings. Procurement through national production. Japan's policies on the control of arms exports and imports.	English
Luxembourg	Military holdings. Procurement through national production ("nil" report). National policies on the export of military material.	French

State	*Title*	*Language*
Netherlands	Military holdings. Procurement through national production ("nil" report).	English
New Zealand	Military holdings. Procurement through national production ("nil" report).	English
	The Government's Defence Policy Framework.	
	Annual report to Parliament of the New Zealand Defence Force for the year ended 30 June 2000.	
	Departmental forecast report of the New Zealand Defence Force 1 July 2000-30 June 2001.	
	Annual report to Parliament of the New Zealand Ministry of Defence for the year ended 30 June 2000.	
	Departmental Forecast Report of the Ministry of Defence 1 July 2000-30 June 2001.	
Panama	Relevant information.	Spanish
Portugal	Military holdings (as of 31 December 2000).	English
	Procurement through national production ("nil" report).	
	Portuguese arms exports relevant policies.	
Romania	Military holdings. Procurement through national production.	English
Slovakia	Military holdings. Procurement through national production.	English
Spain	Military holdings. Procurement through national production. Relevant policies and procedures of Spain for the transfer of defence material.	Spanish
Sweden	Military holdings, as of 1 January 2001. Procurement from national production.	English
	"Annual Exchange of Military Information", as of 1 January 2000. "Global Exchange of Military Information", as of 1 January 2000. "Annual Exchange of Information on Defence Planning", as of 18 March 2001. Detailed information on the exports of military materiel.	
Switzerland	Military holdings. Procurement from national production.	English
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	National holdings. Procurement through national production ("nil" report).	English

State	*Title*	*Language*
Togo	Military holdings. Procurement through national production ("nil" report).	French
	General information on military holdings (small arms and light weapons), as of 31 December 2000.	
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Military holdings. Procurement from national production.	English
	United Kingdom Defence Equipment, Import and Export Policies.	
United States of America	Available background information on military holdings and procurement through national production.	English
	Background information.	

IV. Information received from Governments on military holdings and procurement through national production

State	Military holdings	Procurement
Armenia	yes	nil
Australia	yes	
Belgium	yes	
Brazil	yes	yes
Bulgaria	yes	nil
Canada	yes	yes
Croatia	yes	yes
Czech Republic	yes	yes
Denmark	yes	nil
Estonia	yes	
Finland	yes	yes
France	yes	yes
Georgia	yes	
Germany	yes	yes
Greece	yes	
Ireland	yes	
Italy	yes	yes
Japan	yes	yes
Luxembourg	yes	nil
Netherlands	yes	nil
New Zealand	yes	nil
Portugal	yes	nil
Romania	yes	yes
Slovakia	yes	yes
Spain	yes	yes
Sweden	yes	yes
Switzerland	yes	yes
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	yes	nil
Togo	yes	nil
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	yes	yes
United States of America	yes	yes

Armenia

Military holdings and procurement from national production as of 31 May 2001

Category	Military holdings	Procurement through national production
I. Battle tanks	110	nil
II. Armoured combat vehicles	146	nil
III. Large calibre artillery systems	229	nil
IV. Combat aircraft	6	nil
V. Attack helicopters	7	nil
VI. Warships	None	nil
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	None	nil

In the 1999 calendar year the number of battle tanks in the Armenian Armed Forces was 105. In the interest of transparency, we consider necessary to inform that during the previous year additional 5 tanks were recovered from various parts retrieved from the scene of clashes. Thus, the actual number of battle tanks is 110. The Republic of Armenia does not consider the subject equipment as transfer once it does not transfer of title or control of the equipment.

In our view, the term "procurement though national production" refers to complete systems within the seven categories of weapons covered by the Register purchased by the Government from suppliers within Armenia. Thus, in the 2000 calendar year, the Republic of Armenia did not procure any weapons defined under the Register through national production.

Australia

Military holdings

A	B	C	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Number of items**	**State of origin**	**Description of item**	**Comments**
I. Battle tanks	103		Leopard	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	649		ASLAV and M113	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	272		105 mm and 155 mm	
IV. Combat aircraft	124*		F111,FA-18, P-3C	
V. Attack helicopters	nil			
VI. Warships	17		Frigates, Destroyers, Submarines, Amphibious, Afloat Support Ships	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	544		Standard, Harpoon, Sparrow, Sea Sparrow, AAM	

* This includes three P3 aircraft inadvertently excluded from the 1999 return and the loss of an F111.

Belgium

Military holdings

A	B	C	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Number of items**	**State of origin**	**Description of item**	**Comments**
I. Battle tanks	154			
II. Armoured combat vehicles	1085			
III. Large calibre artillery systems	265			
IV. Combat aircraft	135			
V. Attack helicopters	46			
VI. Warships	5			
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	0			

Brazil

Military holdings

A	B	C	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	Number of items	State of origin	Description of item	Comments
I. Battle tanks	375			
II. Armoured combat vehicles	854			
III. Large calibre artillery systems	614			
IV. Combat aircraft	144			
V. Attack helicopters	120			
VI. Warships	31			
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	(1)		(1)	

(1) The missiles held in the Brazilian inventory are an organic part of the equipment listed above.

Procurement through national production

A	C	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	Number of items	Description of item	Comments on the transfer
IV. Combat aircraft	1	-	-

Bulgaria

National holdings and procurement from national production

Categories	National holdings	Procurement from national production
Battle tanks	1,475	0
Armoured combat vehicles	1,931	0
Artillery	1,738	0
Combat aircraft	232	0
Attack helicopters	43	0

Canada

Equipment holdings — Canadian armed forces, as of 31 December 2000

Category	Description	Number
I. Battle tanks	Leopard C1	114
	Armoured Engineer Vehicle	9
	Armoured Recovery Vehicle	8
	Armoured Bridge Layer	9
II. Armoured Combat Vehicles	Grizzly Wheeled Armoured Personnel Carrier	266[1]
	Cougar Wheeled Fire Support Vehicle	195[2]
	Bison Light Armoured Vehicle	199
	Armoured Personnel Carrier M113	1169
	Light Armoured Vehicle (LAV Coyote)	203
	Armoured Personnel Carrier (LAV III)	373
III. Large Calibre Artillery Systems	Recoilless Rifle 106mm	109
	Howitzer M109 155mm	76
	LG1 Mk II	28
	Howitzer 105mm	171
IV. Combat Aircraft	CF-188 A&B Fighter/Ground Attack	122
	CP-140A Arcturus Patrol	3
	CP-140 ASW/Patrol	18
V. Attack Helicopters	CH-124 ASW (Sea King)	29
VI. Warships	Guided Missile Destroyers	4
	Helicopter Frigates	12
	Maritime Coastal Defence Vessels	12
	Operational Support Ships	2
	Submarines	1
VII. Missiles and Missile Launchers	Missiles and Missile Launchers	1518

(1) 2 Grizzly used for destructive testing
(2) 7 Cougar used for destructive testing/ 7 Cougar for spare parts

Procurement through national production

Category	Description	Number
II. Armoured Combat Vehicles	LAV III Armoured Personnel Carrier	167

Croatia

Military holdings

A	B	C	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	Number of items	State of origin	Description of item	Comments
I. Battle tanks	301	/	/	/
II. Armoured combat vehicles	143	/	/	/
III. Large calibre artillery systems	1117	/	/	/
IV. Combat aircraft	24	/	/	/
V. Attack helicopters	9	/	/	/

Procurement through national production

A	B	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	Number of items	Description of item	Comments
III. Large calibre artillery vehicles	11	Howitzer 122 mm D-30 M94 HR	/

Czech Republic

Military holdings
Valid as of 1 January 2001

I. Battle tanks	652
II. Armoured combat vehicles	1503
III. Large calibre artillery systems	648
IV. Combat aircraft	97
V. Attack helicopters	34
VI. Warships	Nil
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Nil

Procurement through national production

I. Battle tanks	Nil
II. Armoured combat vehicles	2
III. Large calibre artillery systems	Nil
IV. Combat aircraft	Nil
V. Attack helicopters	Nil
VI. Warships	Nil
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Nil

Denmark

Military holdings Ultimo 2000

Battle Tanks	248
Armoured Combat Vehicles	335
APC - and AIFV Look-Alikes	341
Artillery	475
Armoured Vehicle Launch Bridge	10
Attack helicopters	12
Combat Support Helicopters	13
Combat Aircraft	68
Unarmed Transport Helicopters	16
Warships above 850 metric tonnes	
Offshore Patrol Vessels	4
Missile Corvettes	3
Minelayers	2
Warships below 850 metric tonnes	
Minelayers	2
Submarines	3
Standard Flex Vessels	14
Coastal and Inshore Patrol Vessels	14

Estonia

Military holdings

A	B	C	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	**Number of items**	**State of origin**	**Description of item**	**Comments on the transfer**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	21 3 2		BTR-80 BTR-70 BTR-60	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	14 44 19		120 mm mortar 81mm mortar 105 mm howitzer	
VI. Warships	1		Staff & support ship	

Finland

Military holdings and procurement through national production

A Category (I-VII)	B Military holdings (note 1)	C Procurement from national production
I. Battle Tanks	269	
II. Armoured Combat Vehicles (note 2)	1 245	47 (note 4)
III. Artillery Systems (note 3)	2 354	6
IV. Combat Aircraft	64	
V. Attack Helicopters	none	
VI. Warships	11	
VII. Missiles and Missile Launchers	Due to security regulations no details can be given	

Notes:

1. Data valid as of 1 January 2001 on military holdings relating to the formations and units in the command organization.

2. Armoured personnel carriers and armoured infantry fighting vehicles.

3. Self-propelled and towed artillery pieces and mortars (100 mm calibre and above).

4. Under construction, not operational.

5. 3 x Minelayer, 8 x Missile vessel (4 x Rauma-cl, 4 x Helsinki-cl).

France

Military holdings

Category (I-VII)	Number of items	Comments
I. Battle tanks	1151	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	4367	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	817	
IV. Combat aircraft	649	
V. Attack helicopters	389	
VI. Warships	59	

Procurement through national production

Category (I-VII)	Number of items	Comments
I. Battle tanks	32	Leclerc
IV. Combat aircraft	12	9 Mirage 2000 D and 3 Rafale
VII. Missiles and missile launchers		Information not available

Georgia

Military holdings

Category (i-vii)	Description of items	Number of items
I. Battle tanks	1. T-55	59
	2. T-72	31
II. Armoured combat vehicles	1. BMP-1	68
	2. BMP-1K	11
	3. BMP-2	13
	4. BTR-70	18
	5. BTR-80	3
III. Large calibre artillery systems	1. 2A36	3
	2. 2A65	10
	3. BM-21	16
	4. M-120	17
	5. 2S3	1
	6. 2S7	1
	7. 2S19	1
	8. D-30	60
IV. Combat aircraft	1. SU-25	1
	2. SU-25K	5
	3. SU-25UB	1
V. Attack helicopters	1. MI-24	3
VI. Warships	1. RK-Proekt 206	1
VII. Missiles and missile launchers		Nil

Germany

Military holdings

Categories I through VII	Holdings[1] as of 31 December, 2000
I. Battle tanks	2521; thereof - 751 Leopard 1, 1770 Leopard 2
II. Armoured combat vehicles	3924; thereof- 2110 Marder, 24 Ml 13, 356 Tpz-1 Fuchs, 02 ATF 2 210 Wiesel, 133 Wiesel MK, 380 Gepard, 143 Roland (Kette), 409 SpPz Luchs, 157 Jaguar 1
III. Large calibre artillery systems	2073; thereof- 138 FH M101, 17 GebH 105mm, 195 FH 70, 519 PzH M109, 86 PzH 2000, 394 Brandt, 495 Tampella, 78 LARS, 151MLRs
IV. Combat aircraft	509;[2] thereof- 315 Tornado, 23 MiG-29, 154 F-4, 17 Bréguet Atlantic,
V. Attack helicopters	243;[2] thereof:- 204 BO-105 PAH-1 18 SEA LYNX, 21 SEA KING
VI. Warships	72; thereof:- 2 Destroyers, 12 Frigates, 28 Fast Patrol Boats (PBFA), 30 Auxiliary Ships
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Holdings are classified

[1] This report on military holdings is listing systems which are within both the inventory and the responsibility of the German Federal Armed Forces.

[2] Another 46 aircraft used by the German Armed Forces for ground instructional purposes are not included in this figure as they are considered not usable and in any case as non combat-capable.

[3] Another 3 helicopter used by the German Armed Forces for ground instructional purposes are not included in this figure as it is considered not usable and in any case as non combat-capable.

Procurement from national production in 2000*

Categories I through VII	Procurement from national production in 2000
I. Battle tanks	nil
II. Armoured combat vehicles	02; thereof: 02 ATF 2
III. Large calibre artillery vehicles	37; thereof 37 PZH 2000
IV. Combat aircraft	nil
V. Attack helicopters	nil
VI. Warships	01; thereof: 01 Typ 702
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	nil

* Procurement from national production is defined for the purposes of this report as complete weapons systems within the seven categories of weapons covered by this Register, purchased by the Government during 2000 from suppliers within Germany, or from co-production programs in which Germany is a partner.

Greece

Military holdings

Number of items	Military holdings	Procurement through national production
Battle tanks	1733	
Armoured combat vehicles	2178	
Large calibre artillery systems	1910	
Combat aircraft	521	
Attack helicopters	20	
Warships	43	
Missile and missile systems	165	

Ireland

Military holdings

Category (I-VII)	Number of items	Description
I. Battle tanks	nil	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	75 (in total, of which)	
	16	Panhard AML 20 mm
	19	Panhard AML H90
	24	Panhard VTT M3
	14	Scorpion CVR (T)
	2	Sisu
III. Large calibre artillery systems	91 (in total, of which)	
Artillery pieces	24	Model 118 Field L118 105 mm
Mortars	67	Mortars Brandt 120 mm
IV. Combat aircraft	nil	
V. Attack helicopters	nil	
VI. Warships	nil	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	nil	

Italy

Military holdings and procurement through national production

A Category (I - VII)	B Military holdings	C Procurement through national production
I. Battle tanks	1320	19
II. Armoured combat vehicles	3548*	/
III. Large calibre artillery systems	1313	/
IV. Combat aircraft	575**	/
V. Attack helicopters	133	/
VI. Warships	47	/
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	7328	/

* Included M113 ATGW, M113 Mortar Carriers and 6614-G erroneously not included in the previous declaration.

** Included 13 aircraft utilized for research and development purposes.

Japan

Military holdings

Category (I-VII)	Description of items	Number of items
I. Battle tanks	1) Type-61 tank	17
	2) Type-74 tank	862
	3) Type-90 tank	189
II. Armoured combat vehicles	1) Type-60 armoured personnel carrier	223
	2) Type-73 armoured personnel carrier	337
	3) Type-96 armoured personnel carrier	72
	4) Type-89 armoured fighting vehicle	60
	5) Type-82 command and communication vehicle	230
	6) Type-87 reconnaissance and patrol vehicle	90
	7) Type-87 self-propelled anti-aircraft machine gun	47
	8) Type-70 tank recovery vehicle	1
	9) Type-78 tank recovery vehicle	50
	10) Type-90 tank recovery vehicle	15
	11) Type-87 gun-side ammunition vehicle	68
	12) Type-75 wind measurement vehicle	13
	13) Type-73 armoured personnel carrier (with wind measurement instrument)	1
	14) Chemical protection vehicle (wheel)	23
	15) Type-60 self-propelled 106 mm recoilless rifle	140
III. Large calibre artillery systems	1) Type-60 106 mm recoilless rifle	300
	2) 107 mm mortar	275
	3) 120 mm mortar RT	314
	4) 105 mm howitzer	1
	5) 155 mm howitzer	12
	6) 155 mm howitzer FH70	473
	7) Type-74 self-propelled 105 mm howitzer	12
	8) Type-75 self-propelled 155 mm howitzer	201
	9) 203 mm self-propelled howitzer	91
	10) Type-75 130 mm multiple rocket system	61
	11) Multiple launch rocket system MLRS	54
IV. Combat aircraft	1) F-15J/DJ	203
	2) F-4EJ*	104
	3) RF-4E/EJ	27
	4) F-1	46
	5) P-3C	100
	6) EP-3	5
V. Attack helicopters	AH-1S	88

* F-4EJs include upgraded versions of the F-4EJ.

VI. Warships	1) Destroyer 2) Submarine 3) Mine warfare ship 4) Patrol guided missile boat 5) Landing ship tank 6) Auxiliary ship	55 16 5 3 5 9
VII. Missiles and missile launchers		

Procurement through national production

Category (I-VII)	Description of items	Number of items
I. Battle tanks	Type-90 tank	18
II. Armoured combat vehicles	1) Type-89 armoured fighting vehicle 2) Type-82 command and communication vehicle 3) Type-87 reconnaissance and patrol vehicle 4) Type-87 self-propelled anti-aircraft machine gun 5) Type-90 tank recovery vehicle 6) Type-87 gun-side ammunition vehicle 7) Chemical protection vehicle (wheel) 8) Type-96 armoured personnel carrier	2 0 2 1 1 3 3 28
III. Large calibre artillery systems	1) 120 mm mortar RT 2) Type-96 self-propelled 120mm mortar 3) Type-99 self-propelled 155mm howitzer 4) Multiple launch rocket system MLRS	22 3 7 9
IV. Combat aircraft	F-2	9
V. Attack helicopters		0
VI. Warships	1) Destroyer 2) Submarine 3) Patrol guided missile boat	1 1 2
VII. Missiles and missile launchers		

Luxembourg

Military holdings

Category (I-VII)	Number of items	Comments
I. Battle tanks	nil	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	33	
III. Large calibre artillery systems	nil	
IV. Combat aircraft	nil	
V. Attack helicopters	nil	
VI. Warships	nil	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	nil	

Netherlands

Military holdings

Category	Description of item	Number of items
I. Battle tanks	1) LEOPARD 1	36
	2) LEOPARD 2	330
II. Armoured combat vehicles	1) YPR - 765 (25MM)	383
	2) YPR-765	738
	3) YPR - 765 (TOW ATGM LAUNCHER)	90
	4) M- 113(25 MM) C&V	107
	5) XA-188	83
III. Large calibre artillery systems	1) M - 101 TOWED HOW	1
	2) M - 109 SP HOW	126
	4)-M- 114 TOWED HOW	20
	5) M - 114/39 TOWED HOW	80
	6) FH - 70 TOWED HOW	14
	7) 105 LT GUN	8
	8) BRANDT 120 MM MORTAR	138
	9) 4.2" MORTAR (GROUND MOUNTED)	1
	10) MLRS - 227MM	22
IV. Combat aircraft	F-16	164
V. Attack helicopters	AH - 64 APACHE	19
VI. Warships	1) SURFACE WARSHIPS	
	a) FRIGATES	
	J. VAN HEEMSKERK CLASS	2
	KORTENAER CLASS	4
	TROMP CLASS	1
	KAREL DOORMAN CLASS	8
	b) HYDRO SURVEY SHIPS	
	TYDEMAN CLASS	1
	BUYSKES CLASS	1
	c) AUXILIARIES / REPLENISHMENT	1
	AMSTERDAM CLASS	1
	POOLSTER CLASS	
	d) LANDING PLATFORM DOCK	1
	ROTTERDAM CLASS	
	2) SUBMARINES	4
	WALRUS CLASS	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	1) DUE TO SECURITY REGULATIONS ONLY THE GRAND TOTAL IS GIVEN	16586

Remarks:

I. Battle tanks	93 x LEOPARD 1 have been exported to Chile. 4 x LEOPARD 1 have been dismantled; hulls without turrets have been exported to Chile. 1 x LEOPARD 1 has been converted into beach armoured recovery vehicle 2 x LEOPARD 1 have been added to historical collections. 1 x LEOPARD 1 has been cannibalized and is used for recovery training purposes 5 x LEOPARD 1 have been cannibalized and are used as ground targets, 9 x LEOPARD 1 hulls are considered to be reassembled into complete battle tanks. In its report on calendar year 1999 the Netherlands erroneously notified a military holding of 102 items LEOPARD 1 battle tanks. The correct holding for the year 1999 is 133.
II. Armoured combat vehicles	50 x M-113 C&V have been reduced by severing, 10 x M-113 C&V have been dismantled and the hulls will be used as ground targets, 15 x M-113 C&V have been dismantled and are used as ground targets. In its report on calendar year 1999 the Netherlands erroneously notified a military holding of 90 items of XA-188 armoured combat vehicles. The correct holding for the year 1999 is 83, since 7 x XA-188 appeared to be ambulance version.
III. Large calibre artillery systems	1 x BRANDT 120MM MORTAR has been added to a historical collection, 1 x 4.2" MORTAR (ground mounted) has been reduced by severing, 1 x FH-70 has been cannibalized, 1 x M-110 SP how has been added to a historical collection.
IV. Combat aircraft	1 x F-16 has been added to a historical collection, 1 x F-16 has been reduced by severing.
V. Attack helicopters	4 x AH-64D apache have been imported from the United States of America. 6 x AH-64A APACHE have been transferred to the United States of America.
VI. Warships	1x BUYSKES CLASS SURVEY SHIP has been decommissioned, 1x TROMP CLASS FRIGATE has been decommissioned.
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	In its report on calendar year 1999 the Netherlands erroneously notified a military holding of 16682 items in the category missiles and missile launchers. The correct holding for the year 1999 is 16,586.

New Zealand

1. This note provides background information to New Zealand's return under the United Nations Conventional Arms Register, as requested by General Assembly resolution 46/36 L.

2. The following information has been submitted in previous years and remains current:

Memorandum of New Zealand's arms exports and import controls and procedures.

3. The following information is attached:

The Government's Defence Policy Framework (This replaces the previously submitted document *The Shape of New Zealand's Defence*, A White Paper, 1997).
Annual Report to Parliament of the New Zealand Defence Force for the year ended 30 June 2000.
Departmental Forecast Report of the New Zealand Defence Force 1 July 2000 - 30 June2001
Annual Report to Parliament of the New Zealand Ministry of Defence for the year ended 30 June 2000
Departmental Forecast Report of the Ministry of Defence 1 July 2000 - 30 June 2001

Holdings

4. With respect to the seven categories of weapons defined by the United Nations Conventional Arms Register, New Zealand's holdings for the 2000 calendar year are recorded below.

Procurement through national production

5. In the 2000 calendar year New Zealand did not procure through national production any weapons defined under the United Nations Conventional Arms Register.

Definition of transfers

6. International arms transfers involve, in addition to the physical movement of equipment from or into national territory, the transfer of title to and control over equipment. This definition was applied when defining transfers for the purposes of the United Nations Register.

United Nations Conventional Arms Register

New Zealand: holdings 2000

I. Battle Tanks

Nil

II. Armoured Combat Vehicles

77 x APC M113 (including 7 unarmoured M548 cargo carriers)

III. Large Calibre Artillery Systems

24 x 105mm L119 Light Gun

IV. Combat Aircraft

19 x A4K Skyhawk
6 x P3K Orion

V. Attack Helicopters

Nil

VI. Warships
2 x ANZAC Class Frigates (3x Seasprite SH-2F Helicopters)
2 x Leander Class Frigates (One was decommissioned in May 2000)
1 x Fleet Replenishment Ship (12,300 tonnes full load)
1 x Military Sealift Ship (7,200 tonnes dead weight at a draft of 6.16 metres.
This vessel was chartered to a commercial company during 2000)

VII. Missiles and Missile Launchers

Nil

Category (I - VII)	Number of items	Description of items
I. Battle tanks	Nil	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	77	77 x APC M113 (including 7 unarmoured M548 cargo carriers)
III. Large calibre artillery systems	24	24 x 105mm L119 Light Gun
IV. Combat aircraft	25	19 x A4K Skyhawk 6 x P3K Orion
V. Attack helicopters	Nil	
VI. Warships	6	2 x ANZAC Class Frigates (3x Seasprite SH-2F Helicopters) 2 x Leander Class Frigates (One was decommissioned in May 2000) 1 x Fleet Replenishment Ship (12,300 tonnes full load) 1 x Military Sealift Ship (7,200 tonnes dead weight at a draft of 6.16 metres. This vessel was chartered to a commercial company during 2000)
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	Nil	

Panama

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Panama to the United Nations has the honour to transmit the following relevant information received from the Ministry of Government and Justice of the Republic of Panama concerning the request that Member States should provide data on their imports and exports of conventional arms in compliance with General Assembly resolution 55/33 U entitled "Transparency in armaments":

Details	*Total*
Ministerial decisions on imports of firearms and ammunition	15
Authorized ammunition (calibre: 9mm 12, 38, .38, 22LR, 22M, 380, 357, 32, 25, 410, 16, 28, 45, 20)	3 421 750
Authorized firearms (revolvers, pistols, rifles, shotguns)	647
Authorized projectiles (calibre 38 and 9mm)	450 000
Cartridges for industrial use (authorized percussion caps)	20 000
Authorized lead shot	1 000

Portugal

Military holdings

Category (I - VII)	Number of items	Remarks
I. Battle tanks	187	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	490	Included 24 ACV placed in Bosnia and 13 ACV placed in Kosovo 6 units M577/A2 imported from USA
III. Large calibre artillery systems	361	
IV. Combat aircraft	101	
V. Attack helicopters	0	
VI. Warships	20	
VII. Missile and missile systems	29	

Romania

Military holdings and procurement through national production

A Category (I-VII)	B Military holdings	C Procurement from national production
I. Battle tanks	1373	
II. Armoured combat vehicles	2098	10 TAB ZIMBRU
III. Large calibre artillery systems	1414	
IV. Combat aircraft	323	
V. Attack helicopters	15	
VI. Warships (1)	10	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers (2)	8	

(1) - above 850 cubic tons.
(2) - SSM up to 25 km.

Slovakia

Military holdings

A	B	C	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	Number of items	State of origin (if not exporter)	Description of item	Comments
I. Battle tanks	272	Slovakia	T-72	as of 1 Jan 2001
II. Armoured combat vehicles	622	Slovakia	BMP-1, BMP-2, OT-64, OT-90	as of 1 Jan 2001
III. Large calibre artillery systems	383	Slovakia	2S1 SP How, D-30 How, DANA SP Gun-How M77, SP Gun-How M 2000, MM 1982, SP MM 1982, RM-70	as of 1 Jan 2001
IV. Combat aircraft	82	former USSR and RF	MiG-21, MiG-29, SU-22, SU-25	as of 1 Jan 2001
V. Attack helicopters	19	former USSR and RF	Mi-24	as of 1 Jan 2001
VI. Warships	nil			
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	nil*	former USSR	S-23	

* The missiles were eliminated in 2000.

Procurement through national production

A	B	Remarks	
Category (I-VII)	Number of items	Description of item	Comments
I. Battle tanks	nil		
II. Armoured combat vehicles	nil		
III. Large calibre artillery systems	8	M 2000 SP Gun-How	
IV. Combat aircraft	nil		
V. Attack helicopters	nil		
VI. Warships	nil		
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	nil		

Spain

Military holdings

Category (I-VII)	Army	Navy	Air Force	Total
I. Battle tanks	620	16	0	**636**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	2,320	43	0	**2,363**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	1,224	18	0	**1,242**
IV. Combat aircraft	0	17	201	**218**
V. Attack helicopters	28	27	0	**55**
VI. Warships	0	46	0	**46**
VII. Missile and missile launchers	0	299	893	**1,192**

Procurement through national production

Category (I-VII)	Number of items	Description of item	Comment
I. Battle tanks	0		
II. Armoured combat vehicles	24	Pizarro armoured vehicles (infantry)	Commissioned in 2000
III. Large calibre artillery systems	0		
IV. Combat aircraft	0		
V. Attack helicopters	0		
VI. Warships	2	2 mine hunters, the Segura	Commissioned in 2000
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	0		

Sweden

Military holdings

Category (I-VII)	Military holdings as of 1 January 2001	Number of items	Total number
I. Battle tanks	Strv 103 Strv 104 Strv 121 Strv 122	40 70 160 98	**368**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Bgbv 81 Bgbv 4012 Bgbv 82 Bgbv 90 Bplpbv 3023 Rlpbv 3024 Rlpbv 4014 Epbv 3022 Ikv 91 Lvrbv 701 Pbrbv 551 Pbv 302 Pbv 401 Pbv 501 Pbv 4020 Pskbil m/42 Strf 9040 Strf 90 Lv Strf 90 E Strf 90 Stri Stripbv 3021	17 90 5 26 5 10 20 50 211 47 55 501 440 308 60 100 271 30 42 53 76	**2417**
III. Large calibre artillery systems	10.5 cm haub m/40 12 cm KA-pj m/80 12 cm grk 15.5 cm bkan 15.5 cm haub 77A 15.5 cm haub 77B 15.5 cm haub F	188 24 575 26 206 51 140	**1210**
IV. Combat aircraft	AJ/S 37 JA 37 SK 37 JAS 39 SK 60	20 91 12 95 106	**324**
V. Attack helicopters			**0**

Category (I-VII)	Military holdings as of 1 January 2001	Number of items	Total number
VI. Warships	Submarines Gotland Class Submarines Västergötland Class Missile corvettes Stockholm Class Missile corvettes Göteborg Class Missile vessels Norrköping Class Minelayer Carlscrona Minelayer Visborg	3 4 2 4 6 1 1	**21**
VII. Missile and missile launchers	Due to security regulations no details can be given.		

Procurement through national production

Category (I-VII)	Description of item	Number of items	Total number
I. Battle tanks	Strv 122	20	**20**
II. Armoured combat vehicles	Strf 9040 Strf 90 Stri	62 8	**70**
IV. Combat aircraft	JAS 39	17	**17**
VII. Missiles and missiles launchers	Due to security regulations no details can be given		

Abbreviations used in the information

AJ/S 37	SAAB 37 Attack/Fighter/Reconnaissance Aircraft
Bgbv 4012	Armoured Recovery Vehicle 4012 (MT-LB)
Bgbv 82	Armoured Recovery Vehicle 82
Bgbv 90	Haegglund Armoured Recovery Vehicle 90
Bkan	Bofors 1 A Self Propelled Gun
Bplpbv 3023	Haegglund Armoured Fire Direction Post Vehicle 3023
Epbv 3022	Haegglund Armoured Observation Post Vehicle 3022
Grk	Mortar
Haub	Howitzer
IKV 91	Haegglund/Bofors Tank Destroyer 91 (HACV)
JA 37	SAAB 37 Fighter/Attack Aircraft
JAS 39	SAAB 39 Fighter/Attack/Reconnaissance Aircraft
KA-pj m/80	Bofors Mobile Coastal Defence Gun m/80
Lvrbbv 701	Haegglund Armoured Surface-to-Air Guided Missile Carrier 701
Pbv 302	Haegglund Armoured Infantry Fighting Vehicle 302
Pbv 401	Armoured Personnel Carrier 401 (MT-LB)
Pbv 4020	Armoured Personnel Carrier 4020 (MT-LB)
Pbv 501	Armoured Infantry Fighting Vehicle 501 (BMP)

Pskbil m/42	Landsverk/Scania Armoured Personnel Carrier m/42
Pvrb 551	Haegglund Armoured Anti-Tank Guided Missile Carrier 55 1
Rlpbv 3024	Haegglund Radio-relay Armoured Personnel Carrier 3024
Rlpbv 4014	Radio-relay Armoured Personnel Carrier 4014 (MT-LB)
SK 37	SAAB 37 Trainer version
SK 60	SAAB 105 Primary Trainer Aircraft
Strf 9040	Haegglund Armoured Infantry Fighting Vehicle 9040
Strf 90 E	Haegglund Armoured Observation Post Vehicle 90 E
Strf 90 Stri	Haegglund Armoured Command Vehicle 90
Strf 90 Lv	Haegglund Armoured Anti Aircraft Vehicle 90
Stripbv 3021	Haegglund Armoured Command Vehicle 302 1
Strv 103	Bofors Battle Tank 103
Strv 104	Centurion Battle Tank
Strv 121	Krauss-Maffei Battle Tank Leopard A 4
Strv 122	Krauss-Maffei Battle Tank Leopard 2 S

Switzerland

Military holdings and procurement through national production

A **Category (I-VII)**	B **Military holdings** (note 1)	C **Procurement from national production**
I. Battle tanks	556	
II. Armoured combat vehicles (note 2)	788	62 (Piranha 8x8 APC 93)
III. Large calibre artillery systems (note 3)	1092	
IV. Combat aircraft	138	
V. Attack helicopters	none	
VI. Warships	none	
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	none	

Remarks:

1) Data valid as of 1st January 2001 on military holdings relating to the formations and units in the command organization.
2) Armoured personnel carriers and armoured infantry fighting vehicles.
3) Self-propelled and towed artillery pieces and mortars (100 mm calibre and above).

The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

Military holdings

Category (I-VII)	Number of items	State of origin	Description of item	Comment
I. Battle tanks	99			
II. Armoured combat vehicles	217			
III. Large calibre artillery systems	304			
IV. Combat aircraft	No			
V. Attack helicopters	No			
VI. Warships	No			
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	No			

Military holdings (Operational/Stockpiled)

Categories	Number of items	Comments
I. Battle tanks	15/20	Scorpions (Co 76 & Co 90)
II. Armoured combat vehicles	38/58	AML-UR-MG-VBL-VTT-Cascavel
III. Large calibre artillery systems	30/45	- Co105HM2 - LRM - Mo100 -Co75 RM
IV. Combat aircraft	05/05	ALPHA JET *(appui feu)*
V. Attack helicopters	0	
VI. Warships	2	Patrol boat type Esterel

	Categories	Number of items	Comments
Light weapons	Rocket launchers	140	40 mm and 89 mm
	Heavy machine guns	70	12.7 (United States of America) 12.7 (Asian)
	Light machine-guns	360	AA 52 - FM (Korean) FM 24/29 - FM (Chinese) ML (Asian) HK 21 - MAG
	Mortars	76	Mo 60 – Mo 81 Mo 82 (Chinese) Mo 82 (Korean) Mo 100
Small arms	Submachine-guns	1 700	Sterling Uzi MAT 49 Star
	Semi-automatic pistols	1 184	MAC 50 Herstal Korean Chinese Belgium Bereta Star
	Rifles	9 320	G3 A3 -- G3A4 FAC -MAS 36 FSA - FAL Pump action gun

General information on military holdings (Small arms and light weapons) as of 31 December 2000.

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Military holdings

Category	Definition	Number
I. Battle tanks	**TOTAL**	**330**
	Challenger 1	33
	Challenger 2	292
	Chieftain	5
II. Armoured combat vehicles	**TOTAL**	**3710**
	FV432Mk2	1151
	HVM Stormer	135
	CVR(T) Sabre	138
	CVR(T) Salamander	32
	CVR(T) Scimitar	318
	CVR(T) Scorpion	1
	CVR(T) Spartan	603
	CVR(T) Sturgeon	37
	CVR(T) Striker	62
	Saxon	291
	Saxon Patrol	147
	Warrior	794
	Saracen	1
III. Large calibre artillery systems	**TOTAL**	**423**
	105mm Light Gun	153
	FH70 Towed Howitzer	47
	AS90 SP Howitzer	160
	MLRS	61
	Abbot SP Gun	2
IV. Combat aircraft	**TOTAL**	**676**
	Tornado	323
	Sea Harrier	24
	Harrier	85
	Harrier T8	4
	Hawk	133
	Jaguar	77
	Nimrod	21
	Canberra	9
V. Attack helicopters	**TOTAL**	**190**
	Lynx AH Mk1/7	102
	Lynx Mk3/Mk8	50
	Sea King Mk 5/6	38

Category	Definition	Number
VI. Warships	**TOTAL**	**84**
	Aircraft Carriers	3
	Submarines	16
	Frigates/DD	32
	Amphibious Ships	3
	Survey Ships	5
	Offshore Patrol	7
	Aviation Training Ship	1
	Repair/Maintenance Ship	1
	Tanker/Replenish Ship	11
	Logistic Landing Ship	5
VII. Missile and missile launchers	**TOTAL**	**51014**

Military holdings defined as equipment in-service with UK Armed Forces.

Procurement through national production

Category	Number of items	Description of item
V. Attack helicopters	3	Apache AH Mk1 (Not yet in service with UK Forces)

Procurement from national production is defined as complete weapon systems purchased by the Government from suppliers within the United Kingdom or from programmes in which the United Kingdom is a collaborative partner.

United States of America

Military holdings and procurement through national production

Category	Military holdings*	Procurement through national production
I. Battle tanks	8,104	0
II. Armoured combat vehicles	19,983	0
III. Large calibre artillery systems	7,164	0
IV. Combat aircraft	3,646	28
V. Attack helicopters	2,484	
VI. Warships	313	2
VII. Missiles and missile launchers	121,934	685

Notes:

* Relative to last year's submission (data for calendar year 2000) for United States military holdings, reductions in totals reflect continued downsizing actions.
Increases in categories IV and VII reflect better accounting procedures.

Background information

The United States considers that its transfers of military equipment occur at the time ownership title for the equipment is transferred between the United States and another country. The 2001 submission therefore includes equipment whose title was transferred during the 2000 calendar year.

Annex

Views received from Governments in accordance with paragraph 5 (a) of General Assembly resolution 55/33 U

Reply of the European Union to General Assembly resolution 55/33 U, "Transparency in armaments"

1. The General Assembly, in its resolution 55/33 U, "Transparency in armaments", requested Member States of the United Nations to provide the Secretary-General with their views on the continuing operation of the Register and its further development, and on transparency measures related to weapons of mass destruction.

2. The member States of the European Union consider transparency in armaments an important instrument in building confidence and security between States. The United Nations Register of Conventional Arms is an important and concrete measure in this respect.

3. The Register provides data on international transfers of those categories of conventional arms which are potentially destabilizing when accumulated excessively. It serves to enhance transparency, build confidence and promote better understanding among States. The member States of the European Union are committed to securing the widest possible participation in the Register and improving its effectiveness. In this context, efforts of the Union in support of securing wider participation have shown that only in exceptional cases, is non-participation motivated by disagreement with the concept embodied in the Register as such.

4. All States Members of the United Nations are encouraged to submit data promptly to the Register, including "nil" reports. The Member States of the European Union believe that inclusion of data on military holdings and procurement through national production would make the Register more complete.

5. The member States of the European Union welcome all efforts to further strengthen the role of the Register in the field of conventional arms control. In this context, we welcome the work of the Group of Governmental Experts, which had been given the task of assisting the Secretary-General in the preparation of a report on the Register, and we support the recommendations contained in that report.

6. In this respect, the members of the European Union also welcome the initiative by the United Nations Department for Disarmament Affairs, supported by Germany, Canada and the Netherlands, to organize regional seminars on the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms and on the United Nations standardized reporting system on military expenditures in 2001 and 2002. The aim of these workshops will be to explain the purpose and importance of these United Nations instruments in the field of transparency in armaments. In doing so, these workshops should contribute to the widest possible participation in the Register.

7. The member States of the European Union consider the work of the Conference on Disarmament in the field of transparency in armaments to be of continuing value, and hope that agreement can be reached on a mandate for an ad

hoc committee to study possible further transparency measures and ways in which the Register can be strengthened.

8. The member States of the European Union agree that transparency in armaments is important and that measures aimed at enhancing transparency should be developed. They would point out, however, that measures in the field of conventional arms should be distinguished from those aimed at increased transparency in the field of weapons of mass destruction. If such a distinction is not made, the viability of the Register would be affected and increased participation and transparency jeopardized.

9. The member States of the European Union, for their part, will continue to participate actively in all appropriate forums to discuss transparency measures that could contribute to increased confidence and greater security among all States Members of the United Nations.

10. The member States of the European Union are committed to the effective functioning of the Register and its further development and call upon all States Members of the United Nations to provide the data and information requested.

Reply of the Syrian Arab Republic to General Assembly resolution 55/33 U, "Transparency in armaments"

The Syrian Arab Republic has for some time been voicing its perception of the question of transparency in armaments, embracing as it does its notion of the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms. This notion is clear and well-established, and it is based on a general orientation with respect to international disarmament issues and a particular, regional one that is determined by the specific character of the situation in the Middle East.

The Syrian Arab Republic advocates transparency in armaments as a means of enhancing international peace and security and believes that, in order to be successful, any transparency mechanism must be guided by certain well-defined basic principles: it must be balanced, comprehensive and non-discriminatory, and it must enhance the national, regional and international security of all States in conformity with international law.

The United Nations Register of Conventional Arms represents a first attempt to address the transparency issue at a global level. The problems encountered by the Register, however, confirm the established fact that the scope of the Register must be expanded, because a Register that is limited to seven categories of conventional arms will not meet the security needs of States and will thus not attract universal participation.

The future success of the Register is therefore contingent upon the willingness of the members of the international community to engage in greater transparency and to build greater confidence. Syria affirms the need to expand the scope of the Register, as envisaged in General Assembly resolution 46/36 L, by which the Register was established, to include data on advanced conventional weapons, on weapons of mass destruction and, in particular, nuclear weapons and on advanced technology with military applications. This would represent a more balanced, more comprehensive and less discriminatory instrument that would attract a larger number of regular participants.

The Middle East region represents a special case in this context, and one where the qualitative imbalance in armaments is striking and where transparency and confidence can only be achieved if approached in a balanced and comprehensive way. Applying transparency in the Middle East region to seven categories of conventional weapons while ignoring more advanced, more sophisticated or more lethal armaments, such as weapons of mass destruction and, in particular, nuclear weapons, is an approach that is neither balanced nor comprehensive. It will not yield the desired results, especially since the Register does not take into consideration the existing situation in the Middle East, where Israel continues its occupation of Arab territories, maintains its possession of the most sophisticated and lethal weapons of mass destruction and is still the only State in the region that is not a party to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons. It persists in defying repeated appeals from the international community that it should accede to the Treaty and place all of its nuclear facilities under the full-scope safeguards regime of the International Atomic Energy Agency.

The failure of the efforts made to expand the scope of the Register to include other categories of arms, including weapons of mass destruction and, in particular, nuclear weapons, is incompatible with the provisions of General Assembly

resolution 46/36 L, by which the Register was established. This failure indicates the deadlock that has afflicted the operation of the Register and its consequent inadequacy in its present form to function as an effective means of building confidence or as an early-warning mechanism.